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Hollebeke to Givenchy the my attacked with at least divisions. His attacks on tschaete and the Messines ge met with no appreciable cess. He failed to get on main crest of the ridge, is in the village of Meses, but we hold the exits.

ODAY'S WAR STORY GOOD NEWS FROM SIR D. HAIG.

EDITION.

German Advance on Northern Front Checked.

SUCCESSFUL FRANCO-BRITISH ATTACK.

Sir D. Halg reported yesterday morning as follows:—
General Headquarters, 11.9 a.m.
Heavy fighting developed yesterday evening in the neighbourhood of Neuve Egliss and Wulverghen, and at a late hour last night was still continuing.
We advanced our line slightly in the neighbourhood of Festubert and secured a few prisoners.
Early in the night a strong hostile attack preceded by a heavy bombardment was launched against our position east of Locon.

Is unchanged.
Sharp local fighting took place yesterday south of the Somme in the neighbourhood of Hangard and positions into which the enemy had forced his way were regained by counter-attacks delivered by British and French troeps.

North of the Somme the enemy's artillery has been more

Sir Douglas Haig has issued the following Order "to all ranks of the British Army in France and Flanders":—

Three weeks ago to-day the enemy began his terrific attacks against us on a 50-mile front. His objects are to separate us a from the French, to take the Channel ports, and destroy the British Army.

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In spite of throwing already 106 divisions into the battle and enduring the most reckless sacrifice of human life, he has as yet made little progress towards his goals. We owe this to the determined fighting and self-sacrifice of our troops.

Words fall me to express the admiration which I feel for the splendid resistance offered by all ranks of our Army under the most trying circumstances.

Many amongst us now are tired. To those I would say the victory will be to the slde which holds out the longest.

the victory will be to the side which holds out the longest.

The French Army is moving rapidly and in great force

There is no other course open to us but to fight it out.

Every position must be held to the last man. There
must be no retirement.

With our backs to the wall and believing in the justice of
our cause, each one of us must fight to the end.

The safety of our homes and the freedom of mankind
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370,000 HUN DEAD.

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red: 8 men, 6 women, 1 child.

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24 Killed and 62 Injured In Raid Last Night.

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FRESH PHASE OF THE GREAT BATTLE IN FRANCE.

German Thrust for Channel Ports? Desperate Fighting on the Lys Armentieres Evacuated: 51st and 9th Divisison Win Fresh Fame.

Armentieres Evacuated

Another great battle opened on the British front on Monday, on either side of Armentieres, and so far the Germans have succeeded in forcing us to evacuate Armentieres, penetrating our line to a depth of about 7 miles in the centre.

The flanks, however, are standing firm, the 51st and 9th Divisions again distinguishing themselves, and there is every hope that this new offensive will soon be brought to a standstill.

It is uncertain, as yet, whether it is meant by the Germans as a determined thrust for the Channel ports, or only as a diversion to draw our troops away from the Amiens front, but probably the Huns will be guided by the development of the attack in this respect.

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